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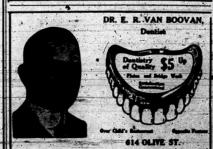
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decorate their chariol whorls for a triumphal entry.
Yet a glame about use, seven her's in democracy's home, will warn
us that thegine is not yet at hand for us to dour accursional robes and
pion on our wings.
We rejoice in the release of subject races, but we are reminded
by a recent address of President Moorfield Storey of the National
Association for the Advancement of Colored Feople, delivered before
the Wisconsin Bar Association, that there live in our country today
ten or twelve millions of native Amricans whose constitutional rights
—the right to vide, to a trial by jury, to protection of life and propcrty—are habitually abridged or denied.

Mr. Storey recites the Negro's sexclusion from labor unions, the
wretched quarters he is often forced to occupy in cities at unreasonable rents, the doors closed against him when he seeks a higher level,
the discrimination against him in the matter of education in those
sections where separate schools are maintained, while applies often
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cause skilled try and when our President is sailing towad Europe to
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ing time for a Americans to look into the corners of our own house,
hold.

As we mentioned the other day, 300,000rof our black citizens have

hold.

As we mentioned the other day, 300,000 of our black citizens have put on khaki in this war for democracy. The press of the South, an eye-witness to the process, has been loud in its praise of the admirable attitude of the colorful man toward the draft; his lack of slacking; his quick response to every appeal of the glaverment, and the zeal of the Negro leaders that their race might make good in this time of test.

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On the field of battle we know that the Negro made good. One whole regiment, as well as many individuals, was cited for bravery. More than a thousand were made commissioned officers.

Act while these men were thus laying their lives upon their country's altar, 219 Negro nich, wonten and children were lynched; and, im addition, 155 women and children as well as mon-were totured, burned and killed at East St. Louis, in our own proud commonwealth, reminding us once again that mob spirit and raceial hatred know no section.

commonwealth, reminding-us once again that mob spirit and rheal hatred know no section.

Some of the bruckings were accompanied by a fiendishness never surpassed in Indian annals—eyes being gouged out with red-hor pokers and slaw fires built to prolong the victings' terture—in one instance to four hours.

This story of savagery has a familiar sound. We have heard it for four-years from agross the seas, different in detail, but the same in the bestial and ferocious spirit displayed. But the Hun, we are told, was indoctrizate-fly his masters with a belief in frightfulness. Whence comes ours:

A distinction is to be made, to be sire. The victims of American

told, was indoctrasaterfley his masters with a belief in frightfulness. Wheneec comes ours.!

A distinction is to be made, to be stree. The yietims of American frightfulness were charged, in most instances, with revolting crimes. But not is, all, by any means, and in, the horrible orgy of blood-at East St. Lough set salargher was influent materials that for excuse. And we Illinoisans have in addition to remember that our, own state capital, the shome of Abraham Lincoln, has witpessed seenes scarcely less atroccious.

Surely, the hour has struck for us Americans to cast the beam out of our own eye if we would see clearly, to east the mote out of our brother's zee, in whatsoever corner of the earth he may live. Racial antipathies, have accounted for most of the blood which dreiches the pages of history, and that between the white and the black is perhaps the most deep-scated of all.

But until we experies this devil our preachment of the gospel of equal rights may at any time be "rebuked by the Gry, even from the lips of the blood stanted Turk, "Jadge not lest we be judged!"—Chiongo Evening Post, Dec. 10.

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On earlier was be of londs Chapter R. A. W. Quite a few companions have been invited; among them will be seen Jap. C. Feugh, distarted deputy high priest. The absence of Pastmaster Vashon from the recent Masonic work that was conducted by East Gutz Lodge, some weeks ago, was unusual. Well, work the three divisions of the "34, inch guage" continuously without fealure the need of rest.

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